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WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP FORUM TO CONVENE IN DAR ES SALAAM FOR THE FOURTH TIME

21 October, 2024: Our Women's Leadership Forum will convene in Dar es Salaam for the third time today, with the theme *"Fostering transformative women's leadership in Africa"*.

The event is organised as part of our Women's Leadership Programme (WLP), dedicated to helping women advance into leadership roles. The programme is implemented with support from the governments of Tanzania and Finland, the European Union, and UN Women. It runs over six months comprising a forum, six-day intensive training, plus coaching and mentoring.

The guest of honour will be Hon. Riziki Pembe Juma (MP), Minister for Community Development, Gender, Elderly and Children, Zanzibar. Ms. Itumeleng Dlamini, a renowned leadership expert, who now serves as Chairperson of the Committee on African Corporate Governance Principles and Guidelines under the African Peer Review Mechanism, will deliver the keynote address.

Participants of the forum will include leaders in government, business, academia, and civil society from all parts of the continent, as well as 100 women leaders selected to join cohorts 5 and 6 of the WLP.

Participation in the event will be by invitation only.

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